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Huerta's chief hurt comes from being deprived of booze.

One element of American prosperity this year is found in the fact that the enormous sum spent every summer by tourists in Europe is staying at home.

"Let the baby cry," says Prof. Hall. But supposing there is a pin penetrating it somewhere? There are lots of things about babies that professors do not know.

An evangelist announces that there are thirteen ways to go to Hades, but the average person will be surprised to learn that many roads lead to Oklahoma City or Tulsa.

A Boston man tells us that "one's prestige is determined by his earning power," but observation would rather compel the conclusion that it is more frequently determined by his capacity and willingness to spend.

Charles J. Bonaparte, who may be recalled as an attorney general with curious notions, demands that "we show out teeth." This administration, unlike the one with which he was connected, does not run to dental exposure.

Some 200 vessels have been sunk in the submarine blockade off Great Britain, 85 engaged in shipping and the rest fishing boats, the aggregate tonnage being \$12,000,000. For comparison's sake, it may be mentioned that the addition to America registry since the war began total 527,000 tons.

Mr. John Redmond says the official rolls show that 120,741 Irishmen from Ireland have enlisted in the British army since the outbreak of war. Add to these the Irishmen serving in the regular army at the beginning of hostilities, estimated at over 25,000, and those who have enlisted at various recruiting stations in English cities, estimated at between 50,000 and 75,000, and the total number of the sons of Erin now with Sir John French's forces on the Continent is found to approximate two hundred thousand. If the other elements of the population of the British Empire had done as well, Kitchener would have in the field and in training camps something like eight million men.

ROBERT'S WISE DECISION.

The decision of Justice Roberts in Armstrong v. Hyatt vs. Kee libel case goes far towards establishing a standard in libel actions. The court holds that libel may not be based on innuendo, or the reading into an article a meaning which in itself is not apparent. Satch lawyers have harried newspapers in the past by "mare's nest" actions and the end of their activities is now in sight. Judge Roberts in his opinion says:

"If language is not libelous per se an action can not be maintained thereon, although the publication is false without alleging and proving special damages. And when in a libel suit the loss of business and customers is charged the names of the parties who have withdrawn their custom must be set out specifically. The opinion holds that it is not sufficient proof of damage to show the volume of business prior to or after an alleged libelous act has been committed.

The court said in an action for libel. Want to buy it? Mrs. R. H. Hibel the language employed must be

taken for just what it says. In determining whether an item is libelous per se it must be viewed stripped of all innuendo, colloquialisms, extraneous or explanatory circumstances. Words that need an innuendo to make the case are not libelous per se.

POWER OF PREPAREDNESS.

Pictures of Swiss soldiers, private and officers, individually and collectively, look just as military-like and efficient as similar illustrations of the army life of other European nations. But, after all, what would the Swiss Army, well-equipped and qualified as it no doubt is, really amount as a hostile factor if the German, French or Italian nation should choose to disregard its neutrality, and seize its territorial advantages and transportation facilities?

Switzerland is prepared for war but what is preparedness without power? The security of Switzerland, under the conditions by which that country is now surrounded, lies not in its preparedness nor in its power for neither amount to anything worth consideration under the circumstances. But if Germany should violate Swiss neutrality this would create a condition immediately favorable to both France and Italy, of which they would take advantage instantly. This would also be true with respect to favoring Germany if either of the other two nations should be the offenders. In this situation Switzerland finds security. But if the war should be protracted, and any of the conflicting nations should get into a desperate state that would be relieved by invasion of Switzerland, it is unlikely this would be withheld.

Preparedness and power should go together to be effective. The first without power is of little account. But power, such as resides in the United States—great power—is potentially of tremendous effectiveness, even although for a time there be no adequate preparedness. It is generally knowledge of the power of this country, as it would be blithely displayed in war, that causes its people to regard with so little apprehension its state of unpreparedness. If that is a good name, whether or no this sentiment is unwise is what is troubling just now the master minds of the nation, from Theodore, the war god, to Wm. J., the bird of peace.

WAR FROM THE CLOUDS.

The English scheme to use 10,000 aeroplanes if necessary from which to constantly drop incendiary and destructive materials on food and ammunition depots, railroads and bridges. In the scene of war, can be employed by Germans as well as by Britons or Frenchmen.

And, in view of what has been thus far accomplished by these planes in military service, there is nothing at all impracticable in the idea. The latest demonstration, indeed, affirming this point was the raid of 33 French planes only recently, on an important German station, and the infliction, it is believed, of great damage, according to the press news.

The warring forces in the Flanders country having reached the condition in which neither is able to make any lasting impression on the foothold of the other, there is nothing fantastic or unlikely in the idea that one or all sides may resort to enormous multiplication of aeroplanes for war and to the extension of this method of fighting to a degree much greater than has been heretofore thought of. An aeroplane is quickly and easily built. But it takes more time to produce careful, trained and courageous aviators.

One does not know in this country all that is going on behind the lines among the fighting nations, and it may be that some of them, or all, are better prepared for launching an aeroplanatic warfare of great magnitude than has been suspected.

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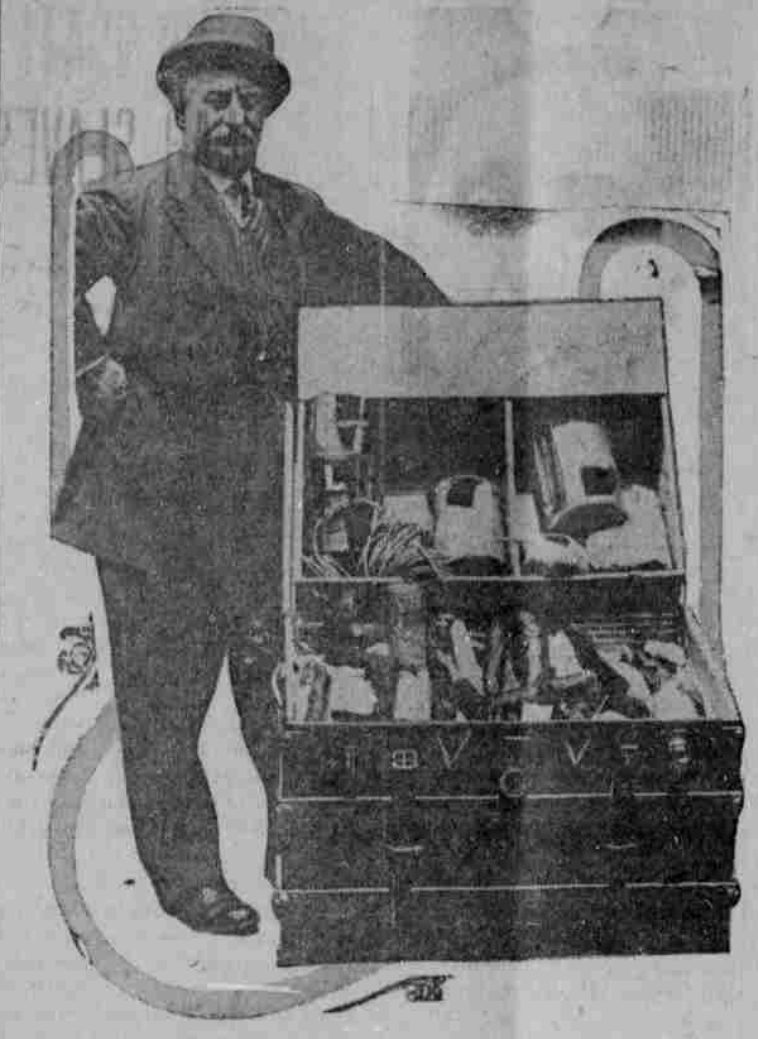
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Stories From the Theaters of War.

By Frederick White

Tokio. (By Mail).—Having received authority from the diet, the government is already making preparations for the creation of two additional divisions in Korea. They will be located in Korea, one at Seoul and Pingyang and the other at Khabarovsk. This strengthening of the army, which has been a thorny political question for several years, is a great victory for the army advocates of which Marshal Yamagata is the head. The announcement by Count Okuma, the premier, and General Oka, minister of war, that the increase was but the beginning of a plan to create a military force of twenty-five divisions, has concentrated attention here upon military expansion.

The plan to gradually augment the army until it reaches twenty-five divisions was really made ten years ago and is supposed to have had the sanction of Emperor Meiji. Just when the plan was to be carried out was not fixed but the recent announcement of the ministers is interpreted to mean that the work will go forward. The present Japanese army includes eighteen regular divisions and one division of household guards.

The pending increase has been justified by Count Okuma on the ground that the actual conditions in the world do not permit Japan to neglect her defense program. On the other hand, the expansion of Japanese influence in southern Manchuria and in eastern Inner Mongolia which was emphasized by the recent treaties with China, constitutes another justification, from the Japanese standpoint, for strengthening the land forces.

VAGRANT VERSE.

RESURGAM.

Though I am old, the world will still be young—
The spring wind breathe on slumbering memories,
The spring birds sing amid my garden trees;
And dense and green the new year's grass hath sprung—
Yet, though my light is dimmed and my heart wrung
By pitiless old's unsparring cruelties,
Oh, for that shore beyond the unsailed seas
Where burns the Fire of Life with equal flame,
Where never sighs song or bringeth breeze
The whisper of the pride of youth's success,
The faded years' inevitable shame,
And yet—and yet—most sweet it is to know
That though my meager days be withering,
That deep June nights shall bloom and love lamps glow,
That shall the town's bright rapids swirl and flow,
The meteor troop of passions come and go;
That men shall love and hate and and laugh and sing.

I see my imperfections perfected,
My hampered hopes by stronger hearts set free,
My halting plans by others crowned and sped,
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Whose clearer eyes the things I loved shall see—
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BRILLIANTS.

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The gift to be true, must be the flowing of the river unto me, corresponding to my flowing unto him.—Emerson.

If a man also strive for masteries, yet is he not crowned, except he strive lawfully.—1 Timothy, II:5.

Work, without hope draws nectar in a sieve,
And hope without an object cannot live.
—Coleridge.

"Discussion is the greatest of all reformers. It rationalizes everything it touches. It robs principles of all false sanctity and throws them back on their reasonableness. If they have no reasonableness, it ruthlessly crushes them out of existence and sets up its own conclusion in their stead."—Woodrow Wilson.

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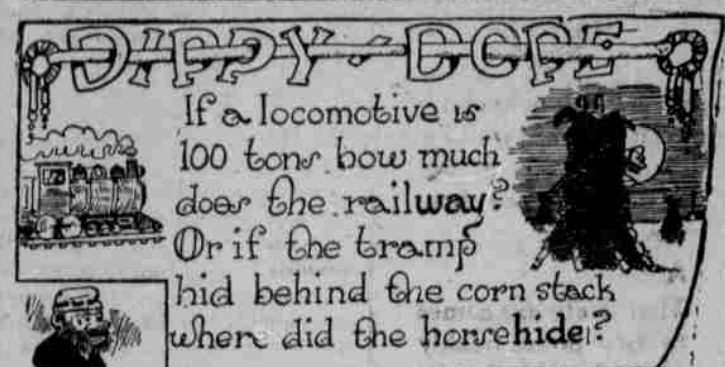
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SCRIPTURE.

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Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread? and your labor for that which satisfieth not? Harken diligently unto me, and eat ye that which is good, and let your soul delight itself in fatness. Incline your ear, and come unto me; hear, and your soul shall live; and I will make an everlasting covenant with you, even the sure mercies of David.

Behold, I have given him for a witness to the people, a leader and commander to the people.

Behold, thou shalt call a nation that thou knowest not, and nations that know not thee shall run unto thee because of the Lord thy God, and for the Holy One of Israel; for he hath glorified thee.

Seek ye the Lord while He may be found, call ye upon him while He is near;

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord.

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